



(Staff photo by Patrick Foley)

### Future Shriner?

THREE-YEAR-OLD Luke Forrester eats, drinks and watches the annual Shrine Circus last week at Tri-City Speedway. Performances were given Wednesday and Thursday. The youngster was at the circus with his aunt, Kim Fallardy.

## Pontoon Beach woman shoots self in head after bank robbery

A Pontoon Beach woman shot herself in the head in downtown Chicago Friday — after robbing a bank and then being pursued and cornered by a half-dozen police officers.

Rowena Leonard, 45, of 11 Minnesota, in the Timberlake Manor subdivision, was in stable condition Friday at Northwestern Memorial Hospital in Chicago.

Leonard had been president of Timberlake Ventures Inc., a 65-acre log home subdivision in Pontoon Beach.

The subdivision was to have been the site for 105 houses. Only four had been built before the company failed.

At about 12:40 p.m. Friday, Leonard allegedly went to the Michigan Avenue National Bank; after pretending to be interested in a loan, she gave a loan officer a bag and told the woman to fill it or she would be killed.

Leonard was leaving the bank with about \$5,000 when Chicago police officer Anthony Bonder told her she was under arrest.

He said Leonard then told him she had an explosive device and would use it if he tried to capture her.

The officer said she challenged him to shoot her.

She then took a gun out of her bag and started running down the street.

At Marshall Field's department store, about a block from the bank, she put the gun to her head and pulled the trigger.

When the gun did not fire, she was reported to have pulled the trigger a second time.

Hospital personnel report the bullet is still lodged in her skull, although she may have suffered no brain damage.

Leonard became president of Timberlake Ventures in 1984. Her mother, Cordell Fisher, had been secretary-treasurer of the company. Authorities said Leonard indicated she was despondent over her mother's health and the business problems that had developed.

She became involved in the troubled subdivision project in the hope of making it a financial success. However, it continued to have difficulty and a bank foreclosed on it.

By Dave Gosnell  
Staff writer

GRANITE CITY — The state and a Madison County judge are at a legal standoff in the driving under the influence case of School Board member David Partney.

Chief Associate Judge Edward Ferguson issued Partney a court order delaying a driving suspension order while Partney awaits the outcome of his appeal of his April 17 arrest on a DUI charge. The state says Partney's license is suspended.

Partney claims he was set up in the DUI arrest by several Granite City officers.

After Ferguson issued the court order June 1, he refused a request by Assistant State's Attorney Scott Kane to lift the order. But an Illinois Secretary of State's office spokesman said Partney's driving suspension, which was to take effect June 2, would remain and that Ferguson's court order was invalid.

"A summary suspension cannot be stayed by a court order. It must take effect. A piece of paper doesn't enter into it," said Scott Ealy, a press aide to Secretary of State Jim Edgar.

Ealy said the state's DUI law allows the secretary of state's office to administratively suspend a driver's license, though a person charged with DUI may be appealing the charge or the arrest. He said Partney's license will appear on a police computer as being suspended.

Under the law, a license is automatically revoked for six months after a person arrested for DUI refuses to take alcohol tests and after a 45-day appeal period. Partney refused the tests and appealed the arrest.

"It's pretty well cut and dried," Ealy said, though he said Partney's case was unusual. "I must certainly am I've got a court order that says I can," Partney said. He said he did not know if the Granite City police

would stop him from driving with a suspended license.

If they want to violate a court order, I can't stop them," Partney said. Granite City Police Chief Bill Harris said he did not know whether to honor the court order or the secretary of state's suspension and planned to discuss the matter with the state's attorney's staff and Ferguson.

"We are not going to get caught in the middle. Somebody's going to have to make a decision," Harris said.

Ferguson ruled June 1 that Granite City officer Tim Lyerla had probable cause to pull Partney over and arrest him for DUI. But Ferguson also set a June 16 trial by jury date on the DUI charge and cited an "appearance of impropriety" in the arrest. Ferguson will be hearing that trial.

Partney appealed Ferguson's probable-cause ruling to the 5th District Appellate Court in Mt. Vernon.

Ferguson said he issued the court order because Partney had appealed his ruling, and because suspending Partney's license before the appeal is heard would be unfair.

He said that, had Partney not appealed the probable-cause ruling, Partney's license would have been automatically suspended.

Partney's attorney, Leon Scroggins, said he thought the court order was stronger than the secretary of state's suspension and that an attempt to arrest Partney for driving with a suspended license would be a "situation of contempt of court." Scroggins criticized the secretary of state's office for not honoring the court order.

"The administrative officers sometimes think they are above the law. As far as I'm concerned, that (the order) is the law," he said.

Ferguson said the issue may have to be resolved at the appellate level.

## Two students threatened with arrest

By Bill Bagby  
Staff writer

GRANITE CITY — Two Granite City High School seniors were threatened with arrest if they tried to participate in Friday evening's graduation ceremony.

Bob Burkett and Jay Strothede, both 17, were told by Dave Painter, an assistant principal at the high school, that they would be arrested by Granite City Police if they tried to participate in the graduation, Burkett said.

School officials wouldn't allow Burkett and Strothede to participate in the ceremonies because they missed graduation rehearsals held at 10 a.m. Wednesday. School policy requires seniors attend the rehearsal to participate in the graduation ceremony, said Spaulding, high school principal.

Both Burkett and Strothede showed up at the ceremony, but didn't cross the fence onto the football field where the graduation was being held.

Burkett missed the practice, he said, because he didn't hear his alarm clock sound Wednesday morning. An employee at Taco Bell, Burkett had worked from 2 p.m. Tuesday to 4 a.m. Wednesday.

Spaulding said Thursday the graduates' parents were informed in a letter that attendance at the rehearsal is mandatory to participate in the graduation ceremony. The graduates were also reminded of this at a senior meeting May 28, he said.

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their car, leaving their son without transportation to the school.

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students who have a legitimate excuse for missing the rehearsals.

"I think this rule should be changed," E.L. Strothede said. "I think there should be a policy change."

This isn't the first year the problem has occurred, Partney said.

"It aggravates the hell out of me," he said.

Burkett, Strothede and the other 14 seniors who weren't allowed to participate can pick up their diplomas after 7:30 a.m. Monday at the high school office, Spaulding said.

Burkett said he and his family are upset that he wasn't able to participate in the ceremony.

Burkett's mother, Pearl, said school officials care about the policy rather than the individual student.

"They don't want to bend at all," she said.

"This is a very traumatic thing for my son," E.L. Strothede said. "It should not happen again."

## Heidtman Steel expands business

By Dave Gosnell  
Staff writer

GRANITE CITY — A building addition to the Heidtman Steel Products Inc. manufacturing plant in Granite City will be completed in a few weeks.

In addition to a new 32,000-square-foot building to be completed in about five weeks, the expansion will include later this year the installation of a steel slitter line. The line will allow the company to cut thicker steel.

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more people later this year. He said the company expects a rise in business with the expansion.

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## Masked robber gets cash

VENICE — An armed man wearing a black mask and camouflage clothing robbed Curley's Diner, 1018 Broadway, Venice, about 4:25 a.m. Friday. He escaped with \$97 and a gold necklace snatched from an employee.

The robber waited until two customers left the diner before walking in and telling her to give him all her money. June Justice, a waitress, told police.

After getting the money from a cash register, the short, chubby robber placed a small-caliber

automatic pistol at the employee's chest, again demanding all the money.

He pushed the woman toward the kitchen area and she gave him some other cash, Justice said.

The man ripped a gold necklace from her neck and ran out of the door and across Broadway toward State Street.

Police searched the area, but were unable to find the suspect, who was reported to be a black man with light skin.

## Translator helps spread the gospel

By Bill Bagby  
Staff writer

GRANITE CITY — Modern technology is being used to tell the "old, old story."

An antenna, translating the signal of radio station WIBI, Carlinville, for area residents, is in operation. The translator is a one-watt repeater station that carries the station's signal at a different frequency. It's located at the First Assembly of God Church, 20th Street and Grand Avenue.

WIBI, heard locally on 90.1 FM, offers educational and contemporary Christian music, said the Rev. C. Dale Edwards, pastor of the church. The station broadcasts 18 hours daily from 6 a.m. to midnight, he said.

Many of the programs are familiar to area residents, he said. One broadcast, "The Haven of Rest," features the Rev. Paul Evans, pastor of First

Assembly from 1958-64, Edwards said.

The idea to construct the translator began five years ago, Edwards said, because local residents couldn't receive the signal from Carlinville. Edwards' church raised \$5,000 to construct the translator, he said.

Station officials decided to raise the station's broadcasting tower. Edwards said the church gave \$1,000 toward the attempt, which didn't work.

A year later, station officials decided to increase the wattage at the Carlinville tower site, Edwards said. The church gave another \$1,000, he said, but the signal still didn't reach Granite City.

The church then applied and received permission from the Federal Communications Commission to construct the translator, Edwards said. The antennas were to be mounted on an existing tower. However, it was dis-

covered the tower couldn't support the antennas and they had to be removed, he said.

Another application was made to the FCC to construct the translator at the church, Edwards said, but this met with some local opposition.

"Mayor Von Dee Cruse went to bat for us and assisted in the completion of it," he said.

The translator has a radius of six to seven miles, Edwards said. Some areas of the city still don't receive the signal, he said, and engineers are fine-tuning the antenna.

The local translator is the third one that has been constructed, Edwards said. Other translators are located in Springfield and Decatur and another one is scheduled to be built.

Edwards said he feels the radio ministry is an asset to the community and an alternative to other types of radio broadcasting.



ANNOUNCING THE OPERATION of the WIBI translator in Granite City are, from left, Bill Edwards, C. Dale Edwards, Bob Huebner, Brad Bickhaus, Mayor Von Dee Cruse, Bill Down, Watson Mercer and Dan James.

**25 years ago**

Thursday, June 7, 1962

To celebrate Madison County's 150th birthday, three newspapers, the *Edwardsville Intelligencer*, the *Granite City Press-Record* and the *Alton Telegraph* will put out a special countywide supplement that will feature historical growth of the county.

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**ROADBLOCK:** Granite City police will begin their annual roadblock at key locations throughout the city Wednesday to check for residents not complying with the city's automobile sticker law. New licensees went on sale May 1. Motorists found in violation will be required to pay a \$25 fine, plus the cost of a new sticker.

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## Amoco opposes gasoline tax increase

To the editor:

I'm concerned that Illinois motorists may not realize that politicians in Springfield are trying to raise their state gasoline tax by a whopping 73 percent.

The increase from the present 13 cents per gallon to the proposed 22.5 cents per gallon would make this state's tax one of the

highest in the nation.

There is no good reason why Illinois motorists should have to pay more than others, especially when all of the gasoline taxes they're paying now are being used for roads.

Amoco service station dealers and jobbers throughout Illinois are concerned about the adverse impact of this tax increase on

their businesses and on their customers, and are petitioning their elected representatives to vote against the proposal.

I invite Illinois motorists to join with their service station dealers in urging state legislators to reject the tax increase.

DON ENGLAND  
District Manager,  
Amoco Oil Company

## Trash fires cause breathing problem

To the editor:

A few years ago you ran a piece in the Press-Record about how trash burning was against the law. But people are allowed to burn leaves and limbs.

Well, have you ever watched some people burn leaves and limbs? They keep adding their trash till the smoke and stink

are unbearable.

I saw on TV Monday how bad Granite City is polluted. Why make it worse by allowing people to burn leaves or anything?

And what about people who have breathing problems? If the ones that burn leaves and trash had problems breathing, I guarantee you they would think twice about starting a fire.

I have called around trying to report these trash fires but to no result.

All I get is the run-around. Would you please run a piece in the paper again and give phone numbers that people can call day or night that will do the people some good?

CAYUGA RESIDENT

## Vital to halt spread of Communism

To the editor:

Order Public Law 87-733 passed in 1962 and reaffirmed in August 1982 and June 1985 in legislation introduced by Sen. Steve Symms, R-Idaho, the United States has proclaimed its policy.

That it is determined to prevent by whatever means may be necessary, including the use of arms, the Marxist-Leninist

regime in Cuba from extending by force or threat of force its aggressive or subversive activities to any part of this hemisphere.

The State Department has used considerable influence to generate aid and comfort for the Marxist Sandinistas. Cuba played a major role in the Sandinista revolution.

Today, Soviet arms pass

through Cuba on their way to Nicaragua.

Congress needs to investigate the State Department. Any Marxist regime in the world, including the Soviet Union, can get support from the State Department. Yet, by law, State is required to stop the threat of Marxism.

RITA BRANDT  
Edwardsville

## More rapid improvement sought by steelmakers

Commentary on 1986 by National Steel Corporation's Howard M. Love, chairman and chief executive officer, and Kokichi Hagiwara, president and chief operating officer.

The domestic steel industry was battered by major labor disputes, bankruptcy and substantial losses by major producers.

While National Steel made progress, the rate and extent of improvement have not been sufficient to overcome these historically negative market conditions.

However, despite the impact of soft prices, imports and overcapacity that continues to plague the domestic U.S. steel industry, National Steel cut its losses to \$99.8 million compared to a loss of \$88.4 million the previous year.

Shipments rose slightly to 4,488,000 tons, while sales increased a modest two percent to \$2.13 billion.

Market conditions improved slightly in the last quarter of 1986, but these may prove to be temporary. Imports fell slightly from 25.2 percent of domestic consumption to 14 percent, but were still higher than the 20.2 percent restraint target level.

A degree of price stability returned in late 1986, due in part to the USX labor dispute. A price increase for three percent was reinstituted in the fourth quarter and held, for the most part, it is anticipated that prices will remain stable through the first part of 1987.

A new President in July 1986, National Steel announced the appointment of Kokichi Hagiwara as president and chief operating officer, replacing Robert D. McBride, a former Granite City Steel presi-

dent who retired after 30 years of service.

Mr. Hagiwara was previously senior managing director and a member of the board with Nippon Koken, one of National Steel's parent companies, and brings with him over 35 years of experience in steelmaking.

Staying the Course  
National Steel management believes its goals of achieving world-class status by 1990, and profitability in the near term, are possible with better, and more urgent, execution of its current business strategy.

This strategy does not depend on external conditions to improve, but instead targets the cost-saving and productivity potential within National Steel.

By making improvements in such key areas as yield, productivity, unscheduled downtime, inventory reductions and energy consumption, National can dramatically improve profitability.

Success in these areas demands a degree of cooperation between labor and management unprecedented in the U.S. steel industry.

A historic why, in 1986, National Steel broke with other steel companies and helped create a revolutionary new labor agreement that was hailed by Business Week as a "milestone" in labor-management relations.

The agreement encourages employees to participate in the success of National Steel's goal achievement through productivity/gain sharing and profit sharing.

A Historic Entrepreneurial Spirit  
The true significance of this

agreement is the system of rewards that it enables our employees to earn bonuses by seeking better efficiency, productivity and cost savings.

The entrepreneurial spirit of the contract encourages and provides an exciting vision of National's future.

Continuous Capital Improvements  
National continued its five-year, \$1-billion-plus capital improvements program in 1986.

Construction continued on a new continuous caster, a state-of-art ladle metallurgy system and other support facilities adjacent to our Great Lakes Division.

The new caster will have a capacity of 2.2 million tons per year. It will boost National's level of continuous cast production to over 90 percent.

By comparison, the domestic industry average is currently only 54 percent.

The combination of the ladle metallurgy system and caster will result in steel with superior surface qualities, low sulfur content and uniform chemical and metallurgical properties.

In November, National dedicated its new installation at our Granite City Division. The facility will improve product quality by helping to eliminate impurities in raw steel.

Taking Control of Quality  
In early 1986, National completed the first phase of a totally integrated, computerized process control system that regulates the steelmaking process from order entry to delivery.

These "intelligent" production lines can monitor, adjust and report on themselves and on the quality of the steel they produce.



## Letters policy

The Press-Record/Journal welcomes letters to the editor. Names, addresses and telephone numbers must accompany all letters.

Letters which are libelous or not in good taste will be rejected. Shorter letters will be given preference as will typed letters.

Names will be withheld from publication only if there are compelling reasons. We reserve the right to edit or reject any letter.

## Beware of some direct-mail offers

By Oliver M. Holmes  
District manager,  
Social Security

I would like to discuss an old Latin phrase used in business law caveat emptor. It means, let the buyer beware.

The reason I bring this up is there are some direct-mail solicitations made to the elderly and the disabled, promising or implying that Social Security is not financially stable — and that there are serious efforts under way to dilute the protection that Social Security benefits provide.

Available information suggests that little of the money contributed to these organizations is used for the stated purpose of lobbying to represent the interests of Social Security beneficiaries.

Apparently, much of the funds raised by the first mail solicitation are ploughed right back into additional mail solicitations, designed to reach an even wider audience, using the same scare tactics.

These appeals are disturbing because they make more difficult our job at Social Security — to educate the public about the financial soundness of the Social Security system and to restore confidence in that system.

The commissioner of Social Security has stated both before Congress and in public appearances and interviews around the country that one of the top priorities of Social Security is to restore public confidence in the Social Security system.

Also, we assure the current 37 million Social Security beneficiaries and the 125 million workers who pay into the system that the system will meet its obligations now and in the future, as it has done for almost half a century.

In spite of the efforts of so many to assure that the Social Security system is financially sound, older Americans continue to receive fundraising appeals suggesting their benefits may be

in jeopardy unless they contribute to some organization dedicated to protecting their interest.

Unfortunately, the very existence of these organizations rests on their ability to raise funds by perpetuating the myth that, in one way or another, the Social Security system is "threatened."

Another one of our concerns is the solicitation practices of certain "document service" companies in such services as applying for a Social Security number, updating Social Security records to reflect a married person's change of name, or requesting a record of a worker's earnings. Social Security does not charge for these services.

The document services themselves contribute very little to the process. The forms they ask their users to complete are essentially identical to the forms the Social Security Administration uses.

The document services act solely as intermediaries in a process that simply does not require the assistance of a third party and may, in fact, simply delay the process.

Our concerns are that some people may needlessly be paying for services that the Social Security Administration provides free of charge and that these businesses promote their services by fostering a false impression that either Social Security will not provide certain services or that it is difficult for the public to obtain them.

Remember, Social Security provides its services free of charge to the public. For those of you who receive a direct-mail solicitation telling you otherwise, just remember "caveat emptor — let the buyer beware."

For further information, contact the E. St. Louis Social Security office by calling 482-9430 or, if this is a long-distance call, dial the Operator and ask for Enterprise 1-555.

Callers may file an application for benefits, change their address, apply for a Social Security card, or schedule an in-office interview by appointment upon request, by calling the above number.

## Steelworkers partners in new approach here

Comments by Buddy W. Davis, director of Steelworkers District 34, and Harry E. Lester, director of District 22.

We appreciate this opportunity to contribute the views of the United Steelworkers of America and its members to National Steel's 1986 report.

To our knowledge, this has never been done by a major American steel company.

The presence of this "letter from labor" speaks well for the future of labor-management relations in this company. As we see it, nothing that occurred in the affairs of National Steel last year was more significant than the bargaining on a new labor agreement that was successfully concluded on April 9, 1986.

There are many new and innovative provisions in the contract, but we believe the one with the greatest long-term significance is the Cooperative Partnership Agreement.

It commits the company, the union and all its members to a new way of life in the steel mills. The preamble to the agreement reads as follows:

"The management of National Steel Corp. and the United Steelworkers of America jointly recognize that in order for the corporation to meet the immediate challenge of survival and the need for long-range prosperity, growth and secure employment, both parties must now work closely together in a joint partnership that transcends the shop floor to the executive suite to solve problems quickly and in a cooperative manner."

This kind of agreement was achieved because both sides recognize their future is threatened



by the problems afflicting the domestic steel industry today.

For reasons that are all too familiar, declining steel demand, imports, excess capacity, falling prices... domestic steelmakers have lost billions of dollars.

Three companies, LTV, Wheeling-Pittsburgh and McLouth, have entered bankruptcy proceedings, and several others are having financial problems.

Employment and unemployment has declined by 50 percent, which means that 250,000 workers have lost their jobs.

As we sat down at the bargaining table early last year, it was clear to everyone that the survival of the company and the preservation of the jobs of our members demanded a new approach: a cooperative effort between two equal partners, management and labor.

After decades of disagreement, we finally agree on one thing: for certain "business as usual" would mean no business at all.

It was in our membership's best interest that National Steel survive and become profitable, but neither the union nor National Steel could do it alone.

On the union side, we were impressed by the company's deep commitment to the steel business and the fact that it was making significant capital expenditures to modernize its equipment.

It also became clear the company was willing to negotiate on such issues as employment security, the use of outside contractors, and opportunities for work in the benefits of improved productivity and profitability.

The bargaining was long and difficult, but it was conducted in a true give-and-take manner and in an atmosphere of mutual respect and regard for the concerns of each side.

The result was, by any mea-

sure, a landmark agreement.

It breaks new ground in the steel industry and in many other industries as well.

In addition to the Cooperative Partnership, the agreement contains these important provisions:

1. Necessary work force reductions will be achieved only through attrition, as employees leave the company or retire.

2. There will be no layoffs throughout the life of the contract, even if employees' jobs are eliminated.

3. Employees will not lose jobs because of work given to outside contractors and the company will look for ways to use employees for work that is now contracted to suppliers.

4. The company will provide profit sharing and productivity/gainsharing opportunities that will enable employees to earn substantially more than others in the industry.

5. We believe this contract does represent a commitment by both sides to a more productive relationship and a commitment to the future of National Steel.

Our members, and those of us who represent them, want this company to succeed.

All employees share financially in the productivity improvements, and the profits that result. We've got a vested interest in the success of the company.

We fully believe National Steel can become a world-class steel company if both labor and management uphold their parts of the bargain.



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## Business

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A ZENITH 25-inch console color television, center, will be given away at Townsend Television. Pictured are Greg DeChiara, left, service manager, and Jim Kiser, right, sales manager.

## Townsend will give away console color television

By Bill Bagby  
Staff writer

GRANITE CITY — A new color television could soon be sitting in someone's home, courtesy of Townsend Television.

Townsend, located at 2712 Nimeoki Road, will be giving away a free color TV. The selection will be made during the first part of July, said Jim Kiser, sales manager. The TV is a 25-inch Zenith console set.

To participate, Kiser said, interested persons 18 or older should visit Townsend and fill out a registration card. Registration will take place throughout June. The business is open from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m. Monday through Thursday and on Saturday, and 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. on Friday.

## SIUE's effect on area doubles after five years

The economic impact of SIUE on the St. Louis metropolitan area has more than doubled in the past five years, according to data compiled by two members of the School of Business.

SIUE President Earl Lazerson announced May 21 that the economic impact of the university, both direct and indirect spending, on the surrounding area during 1986 exceeded \$388 million.

The study was conducted by Donald S. Elliott and John B. Meisel, both associate professors in the department of economics.

Announcing the results of the study at a news conference, the researchers said the economic impact of the university on the metropolitan area during the past year was \$388,100,000, with direct expenditures totaling \$182,770,000. A similar study conducted in 1981 showed the total economic impact to be \$190,382,142, with direct spending at \$89,567,908.

Each dollar initially spent in the metropolitan area becomes incomes for a business or an individual, and is consequently re-spent, according to the SIUE economists.

These state dollars attract additional non-state dollars, Elliott and Meisel stated. During 1986, each state dollar resulted in \$3.4 of direct, university-related spending and \$7.3 of total economic impact in the area.

In fiscal 1981, each dollar appropriated to the university resulted in \$2.4 university-related expenditures and \$5.1 of total economic activity in the area.

The president stated the presence of SIUE in the region benefits residents of the area in many ways. In addition to providing quality education, cultural attractions, and sports events to the region, the university makes available such resources as library facilities, access to continuing education programs, use of university grounds and buildings for civic functions, and the provision of faculty speakers and as human resources for the community.

However, one important aspect of the university likely to be overlooked is that of its economic impact on the region, the president said.

"An important, though frequently overlooked, aspect is the effect that expenditures by the university and its faculty, staff, and students have on area businesses, economic vitality, and government revenues," he said.

Of the \$182,770,000 in direct expenditures by the university, its faculty, staff and students during 1986, \$128,260,000 (\$271,910,000 total impact) went to the Illinois metropolitan area, with \$51,623,000 (\$109,440,000 total impact) going to the Missouri metropolitan area, and \$2,884,000 (\$6,750,000 total impact) in construction expenditures.

The study shows that a total of 4,839 children of faculty and staff households enrolled in public and private elementary and secondary schools in the St. Louis metropolitan area during 1986, with 4,094 of these children attending Illinois schools, resulting in \$3,605,475 of Illinois state aid to

public schools.

During fiscal 1981, 4,717 children of SIUE faculty, staff and students attended schools in the St. Louis metropolitan area, with 4,469 of these enrolled in Illinois schools. This resulted in \$3,903,866 in state aid to public schools in the metro east region of the state.

Another significant factor in the survey was the amount of taxes paid by SIUE faculty, staff and student households during the year. In 1986, these groups paid \$3,683,239 in property taxes, to local governments in the metropolitan area. During fiscal 1981, these groups paid \$2,623,975 in property taxes.

Direct spending of university personnel resulted in local governments retaining \$1,024,071 of sales taxes, and in Illinois, the presence of faculty, staff and student households resulted in \$746,399 of Illinois state taxes being returned to local governments in the metro east.

In fiscal 1981, the direct expenditures of university personnel resulted in local governments retaining \$639,983 of sales taxes, and in \$348,184 being returned to the Metro East local governments.

Another factor often overlooked in considering the impact of a university is the amount of expenditures made by visitors from outside the St. Louis metro area to university faculty, staff and student households, the survey shows.

The number of visitors to such households during the past year has been estimated to be 146,186, with those visitors spending more than \$13 million while in the area.

Data on faculty, staff and student expenditures were obtained by personal survey. University purchases and expenditures by visitors to the area were also estimated and added to the personal expenditures. In estimating the aggregate figures, in estimating the impact of university, faculty and staff spending on the area economy, several measures were considered, including:

- Employment by the university;
- Direct spending by faculty and staff households;
- Public and private elementary and secondary school enrollments from faculty and staff households;
- Local tax revenues attributable directly to faculty and staff households;
- Charitable contributions by faculty and staff households; and
- Direct spending by visitors to these households.

Measures concerning the impact SIUE student households have on the area economy include: direct spending by students and the effects of the student population on primary and secondary school enrollments and on local taxes.

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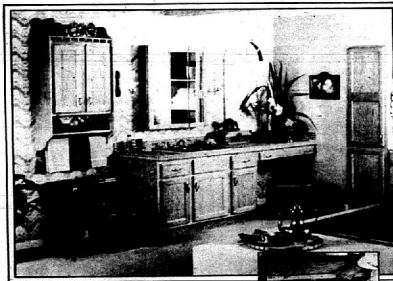
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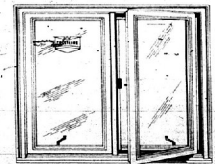
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# Police

## Two local men sentenced for recent burglaries

**EDWARDSVILLE** Two Granite City men who were captured March 1 during a burglary at Granite City Elks Lodge 1063 have been sentenced.

Brian L. Voss, 19, of 1911 Grand Ave., Apt. 9, pleaded guilty and was sentenced May 20 to four years in prison by Madison County Associate Judge Charles Romani Jr. on five counts of burglary and one count of residential burglary. Two counts of burglary were dismissed by Romani on a motion by the state's attorney.

Mark A. Reiser, 17, of 1841 Poplar St., pleaded guilty and was sentenced May 27 to three years of probation by Madison County Circuit Judge Paul Riley on seven counts of burglary and one count of theft of more than \$300 value.

Police originally charged Voss and Reiser with the Feb. 9, Feb. 22 and March 1 burglaries of the Elks Lodge at 1329 Niedringhaus Ave., the Dec. 26, 1986, Jan. 27 and Feb. 19 burglaries of the Mexican Honorary Commission, 1801 Spruce St., the Feb. 2 burglary of C & H Confectionery, 2900 W. 20th St., and the Jan. 23 burglary at the home of John Cooper, 1602 Poplar St.

Voss and Reiser were captured after they entered a front door leading to the basement of the Elks. Paul Schrage, a private investigator and an Elk, was waiting inside the lodge and captured the two men.

## Granite City

### Arrested on warrant

Charles W. Miles, 21, of 1516 Joy Ave., was booked June 2 on a warrant for battery sought May 17 after Miles allegedly struck and broke the nose of David P. Norby, 1318 Madison Ave., Madison, after his vehicle hit Miles' car and a 1984 Porsche on loan Miles. Norby was treated at St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

### Faces battery warrant

James C. Stuart, 30, of 3095 Buxton Ave., was arrested June 2 on a

warrant for battery sought May 26 by Gail Haenaut, of the 2400 block of Edison Ave., after Stuart allegedly struck Haenaut in the head and face with his fist in a parking lot in the 2900 block of Nameoki Road.

### Booked on two charges

Royce A. McWilliams, 48, of 2512 W. 24th St., was booked June 2 for battery and disorderly conduct after Sharon McWilliams, also of 2512 W. 24th St., said June 1 she had asked him to leave after he allegedly scratched her and tried to restrain her.

### Driver hurt on Johnson

Louis E. Lachner, 75, of 2245 Woodlawn Ave., was listed in stable condition June 3 at St. Elizabeth Medical Center after his car, going east on Johnson Road, collided with a car, going west, driven by Charles T. Ishum, 2456 Lynch Ave., at 1 p.m. June 2 at Wash. Avenue and Johnson Road.

### Weapon charge made

Delmar "Ace" was arrested for unlawful use of a weapon at 2:15 a.m. June 1 at Illinois 203 and Moro Avenue after Granite City police had been asked by Pontoon Beach police to look for a car. Officers alleged finding several guns inside the auto, which was towed away by Pontoon Beach. He was taken to the Granite City police station, and bail was set at \$102.

### Shop fire investigated

A work table and picture were damaged in a fire at 4:10 p.m. May 30 at Hampton Gifts, 1311 19th St., causing \$2,000 in damage. The fire is being investigated.

### Bicyclist hit on Johnson

David Warren Martin, 34, of 2048 Pontoon Road, was injured when she was struck by an automobile driven by Victor Popovskiy, 1420 Madison Ave., at 6 p.m. May 29. Moore was struck as her bicycle was crossing the intersection of Johnson Road and Wayne Avenue. She was not hospitalized.

### Cars crash on Madison

Xenetta Dean Watts, 547 Meredocia St., Venice, was taken by ambulance to St. Elizabeth Medi-

cal Center after her car, traveling north on Madison Avenue, was involved in a late-May accident with a car driven by Leona L. Phillips, 2421 Madison Ave., near a parking lot in the 3000 block of Madison Avenue. Watts was treated and released.

### Cyclist injured on Iowa

Bicyclist Thomas W. Bigham, 31, of 2413 Madison Ave., was taken by ambulance to St. Elizabeth Medical Center after he was struck by a car driven by Deborah J. Parrill, 2712 Madison Ave., at 27th and Iowa streets. Parrill was going west on 27th Street and Bigham was riding north on Iowa when the accident occurred. Bigham was discharged from the hospital June 1.

### Arrest driver in crash

James B. Broshow, 21, of 2508 Westmoreland Drive, was ticketed for improper lane usage and leaving the scene of an accident after his car was involved in an accident with Edward Walter Suydam, 4016 Old Alton Road, at 8:31

p.m. May 31 at Meryville Road and Clark Avenue. Broshow allegedly changed lanes abruptly, knocking the Suydam car off the roadway.

### Speeding arrest

Wesley Tinsley, 28, of Hampton, Va., was allegedly traveling at 70 mph on Illinois 203 at 8:15 p.m. May 23 and was finally stopped at the entrance of a farm nearby. Police allegedly found two open cans of beer in the car seat. They arrested Tinsley and charged him with speeding and illegal transportation of alcohol. He was released at 8:59 p.m. after paying a \$120 fine. A passenger in the car, Debra Brown, 26, of Benton, Ky., allegedly became abusive to officers and struck one officer with her hands. She was charged with illegal transportation of alcohol and battery and paid a \$50 fine for the first charge and \$102 for battery.

### Cars strikes building

A hole was knocked in the wall of Herring Factory of Flowers & Craftory, 2700 Madison Ave., by a car driven by Julius Baumberger,

of 2723 Iowa St., who was injured. The accident occurred at 2:36 p.m. June 3 as Baumberger was turning left from Madison Avenue onto 27th Street and collided with a car driven by Brian D. Brake, 2154 Robert Ave.

### Driver hurt on W. 22nd

Geneva J. Brooks, 2118 Missouri Ave., was injured when her car, stopped at the intersection of 19th Street and W. 22nd Street, was involved in an accident with a car driven by Clarence R. Collins, 2313 W. 22nd St., June 3.

### Drivers taken to SEMC

Drivers Kimberly A. Dittich, 2251 Shirlene Drive, and Amanda J. DeJournett, 2438 Cleveland Blvd., were both taken to St. Elizabeth Medical Center after they

cars collided at 8:26 a.m. June 3 at Madison Avenue and 29th Street. Dittich, driving north, was making a left turn onto 29th and DeJournett was going south. Dittich was given a ticket for failure to yield.

### Dog dies of poisoning

Margie Johannigmeier, 2545 Lincoln Ave., said someone poisoned her dog, based on a report from an animal clinic where the dog died June 3. She said at least seven animals have died of poisoning in the last three years on Lincoln Avenue.

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## Buckingham

Ricardo Buckingham II, 16, of Rising Sun, Md., formerly of Granite City, died of injuries sustained in an automobile accident in Rising Sun at 10 p.m. June 2.

He was born in Granite City and moved to Maryland 13 years ago. He was attending school in Rising Sun.

Survivors include his mother, Brenda Dawson of Fort Deposit, Md., and his father, Ricardo Buckingham of Granite City; two sisters, Kari and Erin Buckingham of Granite City; and grandparents, aunts and uncles.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Saturday at Ford Funeral Home in Rising Sun, with burial in that area.

## Epping

Margaret E. Epping, 88, of Granite City, died at St. Elizabeth Medical Center at 9:48 a.m. Thursday, June 4, 1987. She was ill three years and hospitalized one month.

Born in Nameoki Township, Mrs. Epping resided in this area for 65 years.

She was a member of Sacred Heart Catholic Church. Her husband, August F. Epping, died Oct. 18, 1962.

Survivors include nieces, Mrs. James (Dorothy) Alsop and Mrs. Henry (Lorraine) Mills, both of Granite City, and June Drew of St. Louis; and three nephews, Paul and Henry Gabriel, both of Granite City, and John Margold of St. Louis.

The Rev. Robert Heinz celebrated a 9 a.m. Mass on Saturday at Sacred Heart Catholic Church, with burial at Calvary Cemetery, Edwardsville. Visitation and recitation of the Rosary took place Friday at Pipher Funeral Home, 1929 Cleveland Blvd.

## Schutzenhofer

Aaron Michael Schutzenhofer, 2 years old, of Granite City, died at 3:45 p.m. Wednesday, June 3, 1987, at St. Louis Children's Hospital.

The infant was of the Catholic faith.

Among the survivors are his parents, Carrie A. Schutzenhofer and Brett Carner, both of Granite City; his maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Donald (Beverly) Schutzenhofer of Granite City; paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael (Beth) Carner of Granite City; maternal great-grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph (Anna Mae) Schutzenhofer and Walter C. Whitaker, all of Granite City; and paternal great-grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold (Etna) Canada of Kentucky and Howard Carner of Indiana.

Family graveside services were conducted by the Rev. Bill Fishler, pastor of St. Elizabeth Medical Center, at 1:30 p.m. Friday at Sunset Hill Cemetery, Edwardsville. Arrangements were by Irwin Chapel for Funerals, 2801 Madison Ave.

## Sturmon

Liberty L. (Lancaster) Sturmon, 68, of 2156 Dawn Place, died at 1:21 a.m. Friday, June 5, 1987, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center, where she was admitted on May 24.

Born in Arkansas, she came to this area as a small child. Mrs. Sturmon was married for 33 years at the former Union Starch and Refining Co. and retired in 1974.

She was a member of Emmanuel Baptist Church.

Survivors include her husband, Charles Richard Sturmon, a sister, Mrs. Mary Beasley of Granite City, and many nieces and nephews.

Visitation will be from 6 to 9 p.m. Sunday at Davis Funeral Home, 21st Street and Cleveland Boulevard, where the Rev. William Mullis will officiate at 10 a.m. services Monday. Burial will be at Sunset Hill Cemetery, Edwardsville. Memorials may be made to the American Heart Association.

## Williams

Dorothy E. "Ditty" Williams, 78, of 115 Gardner Avenue, Madison, died Wednesday, June 3, 1987, at 2:50 p.m. in Barnes Hospital, St. Louis.

She was born Nov. 8, 1913, in St. Louis and was a resident of Madison for 63 years. She was employed in the laundry department of St. Elizabeth Medical Center prior to retiring.

Mrs. Williams was a member of New Salem Baptist Church, Venice.

Survivors include three sons, Lionel Woolfork, Venice, and Eugene Williams Jr. and Carl Williams, both of Madison; two daughters, Hallie Owens of Patterson, N.J., and Cherry Williams of Venice; 18 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

A Wake and funeral services will be held Sunday at 7 p.m. at New Salem Baptist Church, 1249 Kipling Ave., Venice, with the Rev. John H. Williams officiating. Burial will be Monday at 10:30 a.m. in Sunset Gardens of Memory Cemetery, Millstadt. Visitation began Saturday, 1 p.m. to 10 p.m., and will continue Sunday from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at Officer Funeral Home, 2114 Missouri Ave., East St. Louis.

## Terrell on 3-facet bereavement program

### 'Donahue'

Greg Terrell will appear as a guest panelist on the *Donahue* television show at 9 a.m. either Monday or Tuesday on KSDK, Channel 5.

The eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill H. Terrell of Granite City, he uses the name of Terrell Anthony in his career as an actor. Greg Terrell portrays Rusty Shifney in the *Guiding Light* serial that is presented each weekday at 2 p.m. on KMOV, Channel 4.

This week's interview and discussion show with TV host Phil Donahue was taped Thursday afternoon in New York City. It is shown live in New York, with telephone callers participating.

The topic was "The Changing Role of the American Male in Today's Society." It was decided to include a "young and articulate actor," and Terrell was chosen. The other panelists were the editor of *Esquire* magazine and the director of the *Today* network television show.

The former Granite Citian also has worked as a television journalist and has acted in numerous TV commercials.

## Tractor-trailer struck by train

A tractor-trailer backing off one of railroad tracks on Edwardsville Road was hit by a Granite City Steel train engine traveling on another set of tracks at 2:30 a.m. June 3.

The truck driver, Kenneth L. Wolf, 45, of Vandallia, Ohio, was injured but not seriously. Wolf said no crossing lights were operating when he crossed the first set of tracks at Edwardsville Road and 15th Street, but then he saw lights flashing as he approached the second set of tracks. His truck was stopped on the tracks when he looked to his left and saw a train approaching.

As he backed up, the tractor trailer was hit from behind by the Granite City Steel engine on the first set of tracks. The truck was knocked sideways off the tracks and hit a signal pole before breaking off an Illinois Power Co. light pole.

Train engineer Donald J. Markus, of Breese, said he sounded his horn before entering the crossing.

## Fire damages home; resident hospitalized

A fire in a home at 2627 Missouri Ave. caused extensive damage to the master bedroom. Water used to fight the blaze caused ceilings in other sections of the house to fall and damage furnishings.

The Madison Volunteer Fire Department arrived at the scene at 7:49 p.m. June 2 and was there until 9:50 p.m. The cause of the fire was not immediately apparent.

Donna Beavers was listed as the occupant of the dwelling. Floyd Beavers was taken to St. Elizabeth Medical Center for treatment of smoke inhalation.

Other survivors include a brother in Peru and nieces and nephews living in the Granite City area.

Visitation will be from 4 to 8 p.m. Sunday at Weber Funeral Home, 304 N. Main St., Edwardsville, where a Scripture service will be held at 4 p.m. Sunday. The Rev. William Keenan will celebrate the 10 a.m. Mass Monday at St. Boniface Catholic Church, Edwardsville, with burial at St. Boniface Cemetery.

## A.O. Smith workers get Ford 'Q1' award

The A.O. Smith plant here has earned the prestigious Ford Motor Co. "Q1" award for the manufacturing of the engine cradle frames for the Ford Taurus and Mercury Sable automobiles.

The plant has produced more than 750,000 of the cradle assemblies without one formal complaint from the car manufacturer. A.O. Smith was the first parts supplier in the greater St. Louis area to earn the award from Ford.

The award was presented at a luncheon given for the employees. A photo of the presentation in a previous edition omitted the A.O. Smith plant's name.

## Mitchell Church Bible school set

Vacation Bible school, sponsored by Mitchell Assembly of God Church, 910 W. Chain of Rocks Road, will begin Monday, June 8, and continue through June 12.

Sessions will be conducted from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. each day. A commencement ceremony will be held for participants on June 14. The Rev. Herbert Wilson, host pastor, said.

Additional information is available from Rev. Wilson at 331-2595.

## Lottery

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Heidtman, at 10 Northgate Industrial Drive near Illinois 3,

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The company also processes steel by "pickling" it with hydrochloric acid. The process cleans raw steel.

Heidtman buys raw steel and processes it according to a customer's specifications. Granite City Steel is Heidtman's main supplier.

The company also operates, in

St. Louis, a painting facility which puts a protective primer on the steel products. The St. Louis operation may be moved to Granite City.

"Our long-term plan is to move that to Granite City. But it's still up in the air," Calhoun said. The St. Louis operation would be moved here in 18 to 24 months and Heidtman would buy more land in the Northgate Industrial Park, if that decision is made, he said.

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## Cubs assist at service

### Cub Scouts of Pack 1, sponsored by the Venice-Madison American Legion Post 307, assisted in preparing for Memorial Day Services at the Legion by setting up crosses, poppies and flags on the lawn. Memorial Day services were held on Monday, May 25, at 10 a.m. with a barbecue immediately following.

Participating were Jeremy McKinney, Raymond Douglas, Timmy Britt, Chris and Donald Harris, Keith Kennedy, James McIntyre, Michael Katana. Adults were Rich and Pat Foote, and Larry and Doreen McKinney. They were assisted by Carole and Gregory McKinney. The service was held at the Venice-Madison American Legion Post 307, 307 N. Main St., Venice, Mo. The service was held at the Venice-Madison American Legion Post 307, 307 N. Main St., Venice, Mo. The service was held at the Venice-Madison American Legion Post 307, 307 N. Main St., Venice, Mo.

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## Guest speaker

**RUBY BLAIR**, center, director of youth activities from Optimist International in St. Louis, was the guest speaker at a recent meeting of the Granite City Optimist Club. Blair spoke on Optimist youth clubs and their various activities. Blair, who lives in Alton, is a native of Montreal, Canada. Also pictured are Dave Giese, left, local Optimist president, and Optimist Norm Hall, right.

(Staff photo by Bill Bagby)

## Madison summer school includes reading and math

By Donna Kimbro  
Staff writer

**MADISON** — The Board of Education has approved a schedule for a remedial summer school program beginning June 10.

The board also has rehired all regular personnel who will be working full-time and part-time for the 1987-88 school year, plus substitute teachers, aides, cooks, janitors and bus drivers.

In summer classes, kindergarten through eighth-grade pupils will receive remedial instruction in reading and mathematics and high school students are to receive remedial instruction in math and language arts-English.

Classes will be in session for the kindergarten to eighth grade beginning June 10 and ending on June 30.

High school classes will start on June 10 and will conclude on July 10. The extension of time for high school students conforms to a new state statute requiring that students, to receive credit, must match normal semester hours.

Superintendent Dan Kostenick said, "All students will attend classes from 8 a.m. to noon each day. Classes will be conducted at Blair, Harris and Louis Baer elementary schools, the Middle School and Madison High School."

Kostenick said the last day of school for the spring semester will be a half-day session on Friday, June 5. Graduation ceremonies for high school seniors will be held during the evening of June 5.

Elmire McLemore of St. Louis was hired as a social work intern for the forthcoming school year. She has a bachelor's degree in social work from Southwest Missouri State University, Springfield, Mo., and is

enrolled in the School of Social Service master's degree program at St. Louis University.

She expects to graduate there in May 1988.

A state compliance team that visited the district earlier this year found that the learning disabled service provided at Madison Middle School did not extend to children at the seventh and eighth grade levels, ages 13-15.

According to a letter from Steve Balen, director of the Special Education District, Madison County Region I, the district has sufficient funds to employ an additional resource person who could serve the 15 to 20 learning disabled children.

A survey of a resource room at the Middle School will be made. If there is sufficient space, the room will be converted to a classroom for those not involved in the present program, and another teacher will be hired, the superintendent said.

## Library awards poster winners

The Granite City Public Library has announced the winners of the second annual Bicycle Safety Poster Contest sponsored by the Bicycle/Pedestrian Safety Unit of the Secretary of State's Office.

In the third-fifth grade division, the winners: first place, Beth Butkovich, third grade, Wilson School; second place, Benjamin Asbeck, fifth grade, Frohardt School.

Each winner receives a certificate and an award ribbon.

The posters of the first-place winners, Beth Butkovich and Mark Thornberry, will be sent to Lewis and Clark Library System headquarters in Edwardsville, where they will be entered in the second phase of the contest. The first-place winners of the library system will go on to the state contest, and the winning posters at this level will be displayed at the state fair in the summer.

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## AMI to meet Tuesday

The Alliance for the Mentally Ill of Madison County (AMI) will hold its monthly meeting at 7 p.m. Tuesday at the Eden United Church of Christ in Edwardsville. For directions to the church or more information, persons can call 931-0682.

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We will also take a weekly field trip to an exciting, educational location in the greater St. Louis area. See schedule for details.

**Parents will drop their children off at the "Y" at 8 a.m. and pick them up at 5 p.m.** In the meantime, your child will discover a whole new world of fun, adventure and learning.

| Week              | CAMP SCHEDULE                     | Field Trip Location    |
|-------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------------|
| I June 8-12       | Sports Hall of Fame/Busch Stadium | Waterslide (\$3)       |
| II June 15-19     | St. Elizabeth Medical Center      | Grant's Farm (\$25)    |
| III June 22-26    | St. Louis Zoo/Science Center      | Waterslide (\$3)       |
| IV June 29-July 3 | St. Louis Zoo/Science Center      | To Be Announced (\$10) |
| V July 6-10       | St. Louis Zoo/Science Center      | Waterslide (\$3)       |
| VI July 13-17     | St. Louis Zoo/Science Center      | To Be Announced (\$10) |
| VII July 20-24    | St. Louis Zoo/Science Center      | Waterslide (\$3)       |
| VIII July 27-31   | St. Louis Zoo/Science Center      | To Be Announced (\$10) |
| IX Aug. 3-7       | St. Louis Zoo/Science Center      | Waterslide (\$3)       |
| X Aug. 10-14      | St. Louis Zoo/Science Center      | To Be Announced (\$10) |

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## Health care

### Wellness Center offers varied classes, groups

"Wellness...a term people are hearing a lot these days. It is no longer enough to be fit and trim, people want to be well."

"Holistic health has come of age," said Jim Chiappa, director of the Going Strong Wellness Center, "and health experts and futurists agree that wellness is the trend of the future and today."

To help people make changes in their health habits that will, according to Chiappa, "enable them to avoid costly illness," St. Elizabeth Medical Center, 2100 Madison Ave., Granite City, has developed the Going Strong Wellness Program.

"Wellness is more than just not being sick," Chiappa explained; "it is a positive state of health. It means being and feeling one's best physically, emotionally, socially, spiritually and intellectually, regardless of age or physical limitations."

"Because these aspects of the human experience are so interrelated, practices that promote well-being in one area enhance a person's performance in others. For example, people who get regular exercise usually notice that they are more mentally alert and that a good workout helps relieve emotional tension and counteracts the effects of stress. When a person feels good and looks good, he or she gets more enjoyment out of life."

"Studies have also shown that healthy lifestyle habits can prolong life and reduce the risk of developing chronic diseases, the leading cause of death and disability today."

"The best defense against such diseases as heart disease, cancer, stroke and diabetes is prevention. Once they take hold, there are no cures, only the hope that rehabilitation can offer ways to live with them."

"Today, many health plans offer wellness programs because maintaining good health is much less expensive than paying for the treatment and rehabilitation that accompanies serious illness."

"And as insurance companies continue to put more financial responsibility on the individual policy holder, more than ever,

individuals are taking personal responsibility for securing their well-being through health and fitness programs."

"Small changes in one or more areas of a person's lifestyle can make a big difference in the quality of life. The key is to modify only what one feels comfortable doing. Often, small changes motivate a person to make adjustments in areas he or she never thought could be changed."

"That extra effort now can improve the quality of life as well as the potential for increasing its length."

The Going Strong Wellness Program aims at improving the health of the whole person through ongoing assessment, health education and fitness programs.

Besides the Going Strong Wellness Assessment, the center also provides various support groups including the Coronary Club, Better Breathers, Pulmonary Support Group, Outpatient Cardiac Rehabilitation, and the various support groups offered through the Edgewood/Edwardsville Chemical Dependency Unit.

Health-related classes currently being offered through the center are Taking Charge of Your Diabetes, CPR, Individual Diet Counseling, Teen Weight Loss Program, Weight Gain for children 8 to 12, Walking for Fun and Fitness, Fitness Over Fifty, Stretching for Relaxation I and II, Basic Aerobics, Intermediate Aerobics, Basic Self Defense, Biofeedback, Back Care Program, Cybex Isokinetic Evaluation, Foot Screening, and Infant and Child CPR.

For expectant parents and their families, the center also offers such pre-natal classes as Early Pregnancy, Lamaze, Lamaze, Breastfeeding, and Creative Parenting.

For more information on the schedule of classes and other health-related programs offered through the Going Strong Wellness Center, the center can be contacted at 798-3WEL or 798-3855.

### Health service grants offered

Funds totaling \$76,330 from the Preventive Health and Health Services block grant will be made available by the Illinois Department of Public Health to qualified local entities in the Edwardsville region.

The state health department is accepting applications from entities capable of conducting comprehensive public health services.

Those services include all program activities associated with rape prevention, emergency medical services, chronic disease including hypertension, health education/risk reduction, vector prevention and pest control, dental health including fluoridation, communicable disease

control, solid-waste management, nuisance control, maternal health and family planning, child health, pediatric lead poisoning, poison control, nutritional services and recreational areas.

Qualified entities interested in submitting proposals are to contact John G. Pitzer, Regional Health Officer, IDPH, Cottonwood Road, Edwardsville, Ill. 62025, telephone 288-5731.

A pre-award meeting for all interested agencies will be conducted at 10 a.m. Monday, June 15, at the Edwardsville Regional (Region 4) office.

Applications must be received by the regional office by the close of business on Wednesday, July 15.

### 'Stretching for relaxation' is called easy form of exercise

"Don't hate growing old...work it out in the new exercise and stretching classes being offered through St. Elizabeth Medical Center," a spokesman said this week.

"Designed for people of all ages and ability levels, Stretching for Relaxation I and II is a safe, gentle, gradual system of exercise that does not require limberness or stamina. Exercises consist of a series of bends, lifts, and twists, performed with specific breathing patterns."

"No one is ever too old, too stiff or too disabled to begin exercising," said Cherie Kohler, course instructor.

"It may be the lack of exercise in people's lives that is responsible for much of their pain, stiffness, tension, obesity, insomnia, anxiety and depression. The amount of exercise a person gets each day is the single most important factor in maintaining good health."

"There's only one person responsible for your health. It isn't your pharmacist or your doctor. It's the person looking back at you as you gaze into the mirror every morning."

Both classes are meeting on Tuesday and Thursday evenings for two summer sessions, June 2 to July 9 and July 14 to Aug. 20, in the Going Strong Wellness Center, located in the basement of the newly refurbished McKinley School building, 22nd and Iowa streets, across from the medical center.

Designed for beginners, Stretching for Relaxation I meets from 6 p.m. to 7 p.m. Stretching for Relaxation II was developed for those people who have completed session I and wish to continue developing

their flexibility skills. This class meets from 4:45 p.m. to 5:45 p.m. Cost for either class is \$20 per session.

"I am well aware that people loathe exercising, myself included," Kohler said, "but our current class participants seem to enjoy Stretching for Relaxation."

"Through the use of simple stretching and breathing exercises, individuals can increase their energy levels, improve their circulation, correct poor posture, and get a good night's sleep without the use of drugs. After class, you will not be tired but will instead feel refreshed and energized."

"In short, these exercises are for everyone. They can be enjoyed by the active person as well as people who may be overweight or who have never done any sort of regular physical activity."

"Ten of the next 20 years of a person's life is spent either asleep or watching television. This type of inactivity is more destructive to a person's health than smoking or obesity."

"Inactivity can cause tension, insomnia, emotional instability, poor appetite or constipation. Muscles are designed to be used, and when not exercised, they degenerate, becoming weak, short and tense."

"Muscles accumulate energy from bodily reaction to fear, anxiety, anger and frustration in everyday situations," said Kohler. "Exercise tends to discharge this accumulation of frustrated energy and directly affects one's emotional stability."

To register or for more information, the Wellness Center can be called at 798-3855.

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Dedication ceremonies for the new dental clinic on the Southern Illinois University School of Dental Medicine campus in Alton were held June 5 at 10:30 a.m. The public was invited to attend the ceremonies.

Special guests included Lawrence Pettit, chancellor of the SIU system; Earl Lazerson, president of SIUE; Dr. Bernard Machen, president of the American Association of Dental Schools and this year's dental school commencement speaker; administrators from state and national dental associations and schools; executives from the Illinois Board of Higher Education; representatives from the Capital Development Board; representatives of the SIU Board of Trustees; state legislators; mayors and municipal officers.

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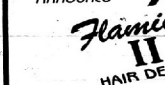
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Mr. and Mrs. James Schaefer

## Schaefer-Turner

Brandy Lynn Turner, daughter of Richard and Virginia Turner Sr. of Edwardsville, formerly of Granite City, and James Scott Schaefer, son of Richard and Janice Schaefer of Edwardsville, exchanged marriage vows on April 25 at St. Cecilia's Catholic Church, Glen Carbon. A reception followed at the American Legion in Collinsville.

Debra Smith, sister of the bride, was the maid of honor. The best man was Rick Schaefer, brother of the groom.

The bridesmaids were Sandy Hartwick, Jackie Carder, Janet Turner, Ann Zoetzer and Mary Adams.

The groomsmen were Bob Zoetzer, Mike Niemeier, Rich Turner Jr., Tom Schaefer and Paul Schaefer.

The ushers were David Schaefer and Dan Tials.

Jessica Schaefer, a niece of the groom, and Zachery Turner, nephew of the bride, were the flower girl and ringbearer.

The bride is employed and enrolled at SIUE, majoring in industrial engineering.

The groom is employed at Custom Trailer Repair in St. Louis.

The couple resides in Glen Carbon and will honeymoon in Hawaii in June.



Tamatha Chamberlain and Danny Pinkley

## Chamberlain-Pinkley

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Chamberlain of Granite City announce the engagement of their daughter, Tamatha, to Danny Pinkley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Pinkley of Bourbon, Mo., and

Connie Pinkley of Granite City. Wedding plans have been completed for June 20.

The ceremony will be performed at Temple Baptist Church, Madison.



Linda Coughard and Bill Bush

## Boushard-Bush

Linda S. Boushard, daughter of John and Bernice Boushard of Granite City, and Bill J. Bush Jr., son of Mary Goff of Granite City and Bill Bush Sr. of Collinsville, have announced their engagement and forthcoming marriage.

Miss Boushard is a 1982 graduate of Granite City High School North and a graduate of Granite City School of Beauty Culture,

employed by Table-Tone Figure Studio of Collinsville as a counselor.

Her fiancé is a 1981 graduate of Granite City High School North and is employed by Hardee's Restaurants of St. Louis as an assistant manager.

The couple is planning an April 9, 1988, wedding at Meadow Heights Baptist Church in Collinsville.

## Bible school at Second Baptist

Second Baptist Church, 2100 Illinois Ave., will hold its vacation Bible school June 8-12, 9-30 a.m. to noon daily, for children ages three years through sixth grade.

The Rev. Mark E. Haumschilt, pastor, will be principal of the school. Arthur Hoffman will be the director.

Church vans are available for the children, by calling the church office at 877-4382.

## New Salem sets Bible school

The New Salem Missionary Baptist Church, 1349 Klein Ave., Venice, is sponsoring a Vacation Bible school starting Monday, June 8, and continuing through June 12.

Classes will be in session each day from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m. for nursery, primary, middle, junior, youth and adult groups.

The church is also sponsoring a trip to New Orleans, La., Aug. 15-17. Anyone interested in going is to contact Lloyd Morris at 314-868-6458 or Ruby Johnson at

451-2483 for further information. The Rev. John H. Williams, pastor, said.

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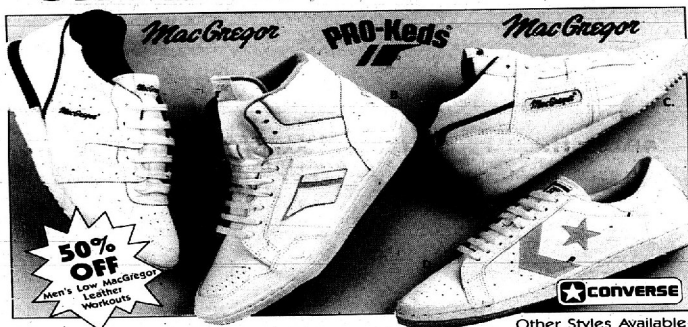
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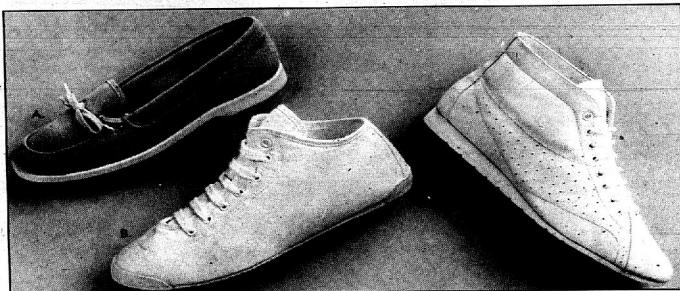
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## Hitchcock-Gaines

Rebecca Jean Gaines and Paul Allen Hitchcock were united in marriage March 14 at St. John United Church of Christ by the Rev. Allen J. Reiter.

The bride is the daughter of the late Raymond C. Gaines and Dolores M. Gaines, Granite City. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles (Doris) Hitchcock, Granite City.

Brian Gaines, brother of the bride, escorted her to the altar. Matron of honor was Barbara Tankersley, a sister of the bride. Bridesmaids were Melissa Ostranga, Nicole Koston, Loretta Cox and Jean Stout.

The best man was Jim Stout Sr., a brother-in-law of the groom. Groomsmen were Chip Hitchcock, Mark Hitchcock, Dave Gaines and Jim Stout Jr. Ushers were Dan Tankersley and Bob Gaines.

The junior bride was Sarah Tankersley, the ringbearer was Nicholas Gaines and the flower girls were Sandra Gaines and Jennifer Hitchcock.

Soloists were Ken and Nancy Gaines. The reception was held at Polish Hall in Madison.

The couple now resides in Granite City.



Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Ayer

## Ayer-Plebanek

Judy M. Plebanek and Marshall J. Ayer were married May 16 at Huttling Chapel at Maryville College, St. Louis, by Tim Adamson.

The bride is the daughter of Simon and Joan Plebanek of Granite City and the groom is the son of Persis Ayer of Brandon, Vt., and the late Marshall Ayer.

The matron of honor was Debbie Linck.

The bridesmaid was Shannon Plebanek, a sister-in-law of the bride, and the junior bridesmaid was Patty Bradensteiner.

The best man was John Halt-

gren and the groomsmen was Dennis Plebanek, a brother of the bride.

Ushers were Brian New and Marty Kenny, nephews of the groom.

A reception was held at McNally House at the Maryville College campus.

The couple moved to Columbia, Mo.

The bride is a registered nurse employed by Baptist Medical Center of Columbia.

The groom is a registered nurse employed by Richland Memorial Hospital, Columbia.

## Residents tour Europe

Mrs. John Juhasz, accompanied by her sister Mrs. Anna Bucky, has returned from a recent visit to Europe. While there they were the guest of Major and Mrs. Roy Phillips and sons of Stuttgart, Germany.

Mrs. Phillips, the former Margaret Anne Juhasz, joined them to travel by way of the Orient Express to Vienna, Austria. There they were met by Mr. and Mrs. John Juhasz Jr. They traveled by car to Budapest, Hungary, where Mrs. Bucky was reunited with her cousin, John Toth, whom she hadn't seen in 75 years.

Their travels then took them to Debrecen and Sarospatak in Hungary to visits with cousins and other relatives. While in Budapest and Vienna, where they spent two days each, they toured the cities and points of interest. The return trip from Vienna was made by train to Salzburg, Austria where they were met by Major Phillips and sons, Mike, Matt and Greg.

After touring Salzburg, Berchtesgaden, Etal, and Oberammergau, they returned to Stuttgart. The flight home on May 10, was non-stop from Frankfurt to St. Louis.

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## Ladies Coterie installs

The Ladies Coterie held its annual Guest Day luncheon and installation at Rusty's Restaurant in Edwardsville on May 21.

After lunch, Ella Wade, vice president, presided over a business meeting.

Guests introduced were Ruth Novacich, Betty McClintock, Shirley Schwendeman, Muriel Vichl, Bette Ann Peterson and Joyce Albers, the newest member.

Installation of officers was conducted by Arline Fox, past president. Those installed were: Kathleen Off, president, Gladys Pape, secretary, Ruth Moore, assistant secretary, and Eithel Beeler, treasurer.

Harriet Horn, the new vice president, was unable to attend. After the meeting cards were played and gifts were won by Marie Gordon, Eithel Beeler,

Betty McClintock, Helen Stoeve, Bernadine Cooley and Bette Ann Peterson.

Others attending included Ella Wade, Anka Filcuff, Mary Haggan, Vi Edwards, Loretha Reiske and Lida Theis.

The next meeting will be held in September at the First Presbyterian Church, with Ruth Moore as hostess.



DEBBA VINCENT graduated in May from Belleville Area College with an associate degree in nursing and is employed full-time in the St. Elizabeth Medical Center, obstetrics department. She and her husband, Robert Vincent, reside at 25 Victoria Drive, Pontoon Beach. They have a son, Bobby, 12, and a daughter, Autumn, 7. Her parents are Pontoon Beach Mayor and Mrs. Glen Wilson.

## Graduates cum laude at Blackburn College

Angela Rose Rozycki, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Rozycki of Edwardsville, received her bachelor of arts degree from Blackburn College at the 118th commencement exercises on May 23 in Carlinville.

Rozycki was awarded her degree, cum laude, in mathematics. She is a 1983 graduate of Granite City High School North.

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Many activities are planned for the afternoon including appearances of national, state and local officials or their representatives.

This includes such Madison County political figures as Mac Warfield, of Granite City, Madison County Democratic chairman; County Democratic Chair-

lady Gloria Bardill; County Democratic Vice Chairmen Bill Rekowski and Robert Stille; County Democratic Treasurer Dan Donohoe; and County Democratic Secretary Ed Williams.

Nelson "Nellie" Hagnauer, chairman of the Madison County Board, will be master of ceremonies, and Harold E. "Gene" Briggs, retiring regional superintendent of schools, is program chairman.

Food, drinks and games for children as well as adults will be available along with dancing.

Tickets may be purchased at the picnic. There will be an auction which will include St. Louis Baseball Cardinals equipment.

DEMCO members are Richard "Dick" Allen, state's attorney; Evelyn Bowles, county clerk; Briggs, regional superintendent of schools; Dallas Burke, coroner; Bob Churchich, sheriff; Michael "Mick" Henkhaus, county treasurer; Ronald "Rink" Lucas, recorder of deeds; and Willard Portell, circuit clerk.

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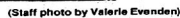
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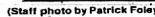








**HONORED EMPLOYEES.** Betty Ballentine, library aide for 15 years, left, and Helen R. board office secretary for 13 years, both retiring this month from the Venice School District, receive a plaque and a silver bowl, respectively, from Superintendent of Schools Robert J. Smith at a May 29 reception. It was hosted by staff members in the high school library, where the honorees were presented gifts; ice cream, punch and cake were served. The women were commended by the administrator for dedicated service.



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# Granite City's Olympian

## Trittschuh, U.S. soccer team clear 1st hurdle on way to Seoul

By Dave Whaley

Executive sports editor

Things looked, shall we say, not too bright, for the United States Olympic soccer team May 30.

As they took the field at Soccer Park in Fenton, Mo., for a rematch with the Canadian National Team, they had a Mt. Everest-sized mountain to climb. It was the second game of a two-game series with the Canadians, and Canada had won the first game 2-0 in St. John's, New Brunswick May 23.

In the total goals series, the U.S. had to win the game at least 3-0. In addition, goals scored on the road counted double. So if Canada got one goal, the U.S. would need five. That's a lot in outdoor soccer.

But the Americans pulled it off. They blanked the Canadians 3-0 to earn a berth in a six-team round robin tournament later this year to qualify for the 1988 Olympic Games in Seoul, South Korea.

Steve Trittschuh, the All-American back from SIUE and a 1983 graduate of Granite City North High School, is a member of the 18-man squad that pulled off the May 30 miracle.

"We knew going in that we could not let them score," Trittschuh said. "And then we had to get three goals. The home crowd really helped us. We had about 6,000 people out there cheering us on, and I think that was a big advantage for us."

The desperate Americans out-shot Canada 11-4 and had six corner kicks to two for the Canadians. Paul Krumpke of the Major Indoor Soccer League's Chicago Sting scored goals in the first and second half, then Jim Gabarra added what proved to be the clinching goal with less than 18 minutes left. David Vanole got the shutout in goal.

"Our intensity level in the game in Canada was way down," Trittschuh said. "They had a crowd about the same size as we had, and that might have pumped them up. Nobody on our team played that well in the first

game. I think we might have been mentally burned out after our week of practice (in Maine)."

Trittschuh completed an outstanding career at SIUE last year with five goals and four assists and rock-steady play on the back line for Ed Hunkeler's team. He is weighing several options for playing professionally, but his main focus now is on the Olympics.



Steve Trittschuh

"We started tryouts for the team back in January out in LA," Trittschuh said. "Then we played games in places like Miami, San Jose and San Antonio. I really started to feel good about my chances of sticking with the team after the games in Miami."

U.S. coach Lothar Osiander, a native of Germany, announced the final roster May 18, and Trittschuh had a spot in the backfield.

"They brought in some of the pro players to help boost the team," he said. "I was competing against some of them, like Tim Schultz from the Steamers, for a spot on the roster. But I felt all along I had a pretty good chance to make it." Osiander's squad didn't let him down with the big effort in the second game with the

Canadians.

"He was really happy when we were able to win," Trittschuh said. "He was thinking he might have lost the job if he hadn't won."

It will be a busy year for Trittschuh and the Olympic team. They were headed off for Korea this week to play in a tournament and will play in the World University Games in Yugoslavia later this month. Then come the Pan American Games in Indianapolis in August.

About the six-team field the U.S. will be competing in for a spot in the Olympics, Trittschuh expects the Mexicans to be very strong.

"I don't know who the other teams are yet (they will all be from Central America), but I figure Mexico will be about the toughest ones there," he said. "But we feel better about how we're playing since the last game."

As for his future professionally, Trittschuh is considering playing overseas. Soccer players are allowed to turn pro and still be eligible for the Olympics.

"I've got some connections that might help me look into the possibility of playing over in Holland," he said.

Trittschuh will probably be taken in the MISL draft this summer, but he is unsure if that is where his future lies.

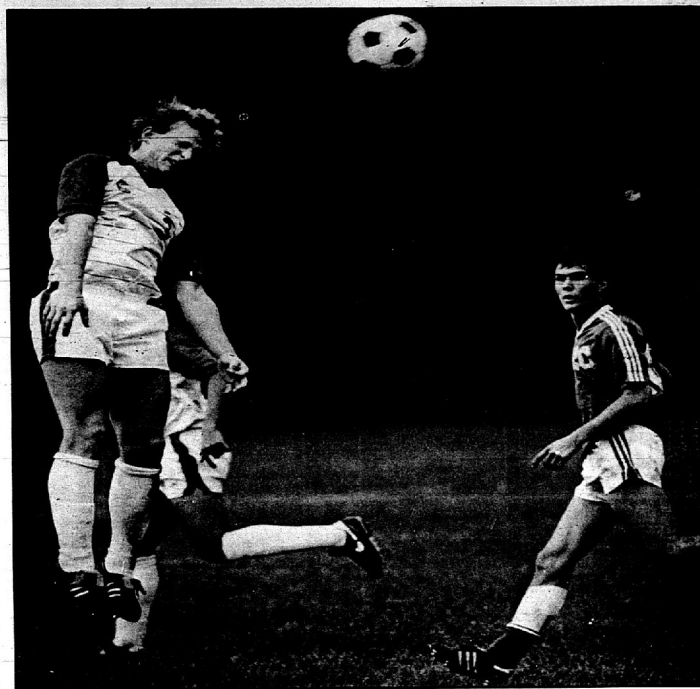
"I would have to see the money before I would decide on that," he said. "I haven't played much indoors this year since the Olympic team started. We did have an indoor team at SIUE that played in the winter. It's kind of hard going back and forth between the indoor and outdoor games."

Although a future in pro soccer seems inevitable, there is still one thing that is in Trittschuh's mind above all else.

"I want to get to the Olympics," he said.

NOTES: Trittschuh and fellow Granite City North graduate Daren DeFevy were honored at

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AIR TRITTSCHUH: Steve Trittschuh goes up to head a ball during an SIUE game last fall. (SIUE photo)



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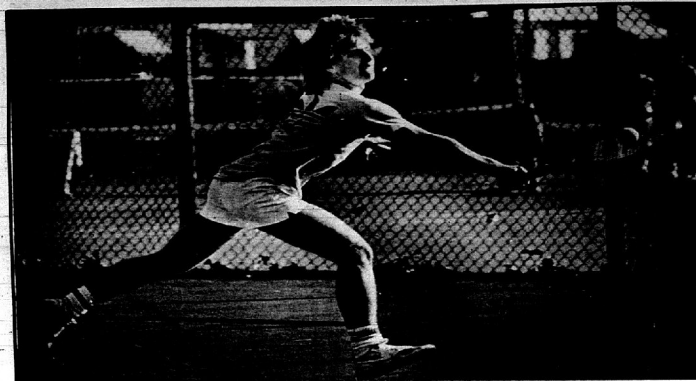
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### Good freshman year

**ROBBIE LOMBARDI**, a freshman at St. Ambrose College in Davenport, Ia., and a 1986 graduate of Granite City High School, played on the St. Ambrose team which finished as the No. 11 tennis team among NAIA schools. St. Ambrose went to the NAIA national tournament in Kansas City May 18 and Lombardi was able to win one match and drop one. Lombardi, the No. 5 singles player on the team, made three trips to the state finals as a Warrior.

### J. Hogan, Wilson selected to all-conference 1st team

Jamie Hogan and Rich Wilson of the Warriors were named to the all-Southwestern Conference first team baseball squad this week.

Granite City placed eight players on the team, which included first team, second team and honorable mention.

Warriors named to the second team were first baseman John Moad, center fielder Tim Hogan, third baseman Todd Hintense, and pitchers Scott LeVault and Darin Hendrickson. Left fielder Todd Admitis was an honorable mention selection.

Jamie Hogan, a senior, was one of the best defensive second basemen in the area this year and has a .275 average with two home runs and 25 RBIs. He has also stolen 25 bases, leading into this weekend's sectional.

The fact that Wilson, a senior, developed into a good hitter this year was not a major surprise, but the extent to which he carried it might have been. He took a .375 average into the sectional with a team-leading 39 hits. Wilson has two home runs, a team-leading 29 RBIs, 10 doubles and a .695 slugging percentage. He has made only one error in right field.

Moad, a junior, took a .380 average into the weekend with a team-leading 11 doubles and 22 RBIs. He has made only one error at first base this year. Tim Hogan, a senior, is hitting .338 with a team-record 41 runs scored and 32 stolen bases. Hintense, a senior, is hitting .396 with 10 hits, 10 doubles, one home run, 27 RBIs and a .594 slugging percentage.

LeVault, a senior, is 8-3 with a 2.97 ERA. He has one save and a strikeout-to-walk ratio of 53-13.

Hendrickson, a senior, is also 8-3 with two saves and a 2.14 ERA. His strikeout-to-walk ratio is an excellent 35-9.

Admitis, a senior, is hitting .356 with two home runs and 26 RBIs. He has a team-leading four triples and a .587 slugging percentage.

The rest of the first team is Cliff Williams, East St. Louis junior, catcher; Tom White, Belleville East senior, first base; Brian Gibson, Belleville East senior, shortstop (also named SMC Player of the Year); Larry Patton, Belleville West senior, third base; Todd Burkis, Belleville West senior and John Veilno, Belleville East senior, outfield; Kurt Hill and Jason Hess, Belleville East seniors and Terry Westerfield, East St. Louis junior, pitchers; and Brent Kohlenberger, Belleville West senior, designated hitter.

The second team is rounded out by Bob Radosevich, Collinsville junior, and Fred Judge, Belleville East senior, catchers (tie); Dan Cates, Belleville East senior, second base; Lawrence Moore, East St. Louis senior, shortstop; Dave Edwards, East St. Louis junior and Scott Hall, Alton senior, outfield; and Mike Bruyan, Collinsville junior, pitcher.

Joining Admitis as honorable mention picks were infielders Brian Foley, Belleville West senior, Keith Brooke, Collinsville senior and Pete Wessel, Belleville West junior, and outfielders Brad Patton, Collinsville senior, Justin Webster, Belleville East senior and Jerome Moore, Alton senior.

Voting was done by conference coaches.

## Summer baseball put on hold by Warriors

Summer baseball is scheduled to start this week both for the Tri-City American Legion Post 113 senior team and the Granite City Optimists junior league team.

However, the success of the Warrior team has placed the first week of the schedule. Rules prohibit legion baseball teams from playing until the corresponding high school team's season is over.

The Optimists, who won their division in the Metro East Junior League with a 25-4 record and made it to the league quarterfinals, are scheduled to open up Tuesday night in Brighton. But manager Paul Kacera said late in the week he was still undecided as to whether the game will be played if the Warriors do not make it out of the sectional.

Kacera said seven members of the high school team — mostly sophomores — were on his roster.

Meanwhile, the Triplets, who will have most of the older high school players on their roster, are also scheduled to open this week. Gus Lignoul will replace Dave Coakley as the senior legion manager this summer.

Previews of both teams will appear in upcoming editions. The Optimists schedule follows:

| Schedule                  |           |
|---------------------------|-----------|
| 6/9 Brighton              | 8 p.m.    |
| 6/13 ALTON                | 8 p.m.    |
| 6/13 Fairview Heights (2) | 8 p.m.    |
| 6/20 ALTON OPTIMIST (2)   | 1 p.m.    |
| 6/22 HIGHLAND             | 8 p.m.    |
| 6/23 Belleville 1         | 8 p.m.    |
| 6/23 Red Bud              | 7:30 p.m. |
| 6/27 FLORA 1              | 8 p.m.    |
| 6/28 EAST ST. LOUIS       | 8 p.m.    |
| 7/1 Bethalto              | 8 p.m.    |
| 7/3 GREENVILLE            | 8 p.m.    |
| 7/6 O'FALLON              | 8 p.m.    |
| 7/9 Waterloo              | 8 p.m.    |
| 7/11 Freeburg (2)         | 1 p.m.    |
| 7/12 TROY                 | 1 p.m.    |
| 7/14 Alton (2)            | 7:30 p.m. |
| 7/16 BELLEVILLE H         | 8 p.m.    |
| 7/18 BRIGHTON 2           | 1 p.m.    |
| 7/19 EDWARDSVILLE         | 8 p.m.    |
| 7/21 COLLINGSVILLE B      | 7:30 p.m. |
| 7/23 Belleville 2         | 8 p.m.    |
| 7/25 Cahokia              | 7:30 p.m. |
| 7/27 Division playoffs    | TBA       |
| 8/1-2 League finals       | TBA       |

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## ● Trittschuh

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the SIUE sports awards ceremonies Wednesday night. Trittschuh and DePew received the male sportsmanship awards. They also each received most valuable player awards. Trittschuh for men's soccer and DePew for baseball. DePew is still waiting for a phone call from some major league team informing him they had picked him in this week's amateur draft. The Cougars' catcher and leading hitter was a cinch to go in the draft, but he said Friday teams have a maximum of 15 days to inform their picks. Major league teams usually announce only the first-round picks right away, then wait to announce the rest. The draft started Tuesday and ended Thursday. The New York Yankees were said to have the most interest in DePew.

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## Sports briefs

### Weight training for GC football starts tomorrow

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Training will be in the weight room above the main gym every Monday and Wednesday from 3 to 5 p.m. Incoming eighth graders who plan to play eighth grade football in the fall are encouraged to participate in the training.

### Safe Boating Week announced by Reagan

President Reagan has proclaimed June 7-13 as Safe Boating Week.

Locally, Granite City Mayor Von Dee Cruse signed a proclamation last week for Safe Boating Week in this area.

One of the practical features of National Safe Boating Week and the weeks to come is the U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary's courtesy boat examinations. On request of an boat owner, a trained qualified member of the Coast Guard Auxiliary will examine the boat to be sure it has all legally required equipment and is in seaworthy condition.

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### 7 local athletes qualify for state Special Olympics

Seven local athletes have advanced to state competition in the Special Olympics.

The Tri-Cities Association for the Retarded sponsored 13 athletes at regional track and field competition May 2 at SIUE. Advancing to the state competition June 19-21 at Illinois State University in Normal are Grace Apponey, George Few, Sandra Hahne, Ervin Landwhemier, Sharon Staub, Craig York and Richard Damm.

Clifford Foreman also qualified, but he passed away May 23.

Other athletes sponsored by TCARC were Dennis Grimm, Joe Mays, Curtis Mays, Todd Baker and Mike Sulic.

### GC Park District having 4th of July softball tourney

The Granite City Park District is sponsoring a men's and a women's softball tournament July 2-4. The entry fee is \$60 per team and each team must provide one softball.

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